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: **RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116**

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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above identified application.

- ☒ No additional fee is required.
☐ Small entity status of this application has been established.
☒ Also attached: **Replacement Drawings and New Figure 8**

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| Independent Claims | 3 | 3 | 0 | x \$ 86 = | \$ 0.00 |
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